

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

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DAMS ON VERGE OF COLLAPSE DUE TO POLLUTION

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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether various dams in the country are on the verge of collapse due to pollution; and

(b) if so, the steps taken by the Government to protect these dams?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAI PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) & (b) The State Governments and other dam owning authorities have not reported to the Central Government about any dam which is reported to be on the verge of collapse due to pollution.